DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy and sugarcane are in a fair condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane is being milled in parts of Channapatna, Magadi, Kankanhalli, Devanhalli, Anekal, Closepet, Nelamangala and Dodballapur Taluks.

Crops Sown.—Sugarcane is being sown in parts of Bangalore and Closepet Taluks.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

It is reported that "Blackquarter" is prevailing in parts of Kankanhalli and Nelamangala Taluks and the Veterinary Department is taking necessary action to check the spread of the disease.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, Vaishakhi paddy, giddaragi, jola and bengalgram are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi, sugarcane, jola, chillies and turmeric.

10. Generally good except for the prevalence of Plague in some villages of Kasaba, Kywara, Murugamale Hoblis in Chintamani Taluk; Mudiyanur and Agra villages in Mulbagal Taluk; Bhaktharahalli, Malamachanahalli, Sadli, Gadiminchenahalli, Yerranagenahalli, Kannamangla, Chintudupi, K. Muthukadahalli, and Gudihalli in Sidlaghatta Taluk; Kudivathi, Angatta, Hiriyanahalli, Dibbur and Peresandra in Chikballapur Taluk; and in some parts of Malur Taluk; Kasaba, Ronoor and Yeldur Hoblies in Srinivaspur Taluk. It is also reported that Fever is prevailing in some villages in Mulbagal Taluk. Preventive measures are reported to have been adopted to check the spread of the disease.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district except for the prevalence of "Blackquarter" at Bommenahalli village in Chikballapur Taluk; Dodrancherlu, Puradahalli and Polampalli villages in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Fodder and water are available except in parts of Sadli Hobli, Sidlaghatta Taluk, where it is being imported from Chintamani Taluk.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

TUMKUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Sugarcane in Tumkur and Kunigal and paddy in Kunigal Taluk only,

Standing Crops.—Paddy in all the taluks except Tiptur; sugarcane in all the taluks except Pavagada; jola in Koratagere and Tumkur; bengalgram and greengram in Tumkur Taluk. Though the standing crops are said to be in a fair condition, they are reported to be in need of rain.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks; sugarcane in Tumkur, Sira, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turvekere Taluks; tobacco in Sira Taluk; jola in Koratagere; bengalgram in Turvekere.

10. Fair.

11. Water and fodder are generally available.

In spite of having thrown open the State forests in Tumkur and Chiknaikanhalli Taluks, and Amritmahal Kaval in Turvekere Taluk for free grazing of cattle, some difficulty for fodder and in a lesser degree for water is still reported to have been felt in these taluks. Applications for granting of fodder loans are reported to have been received. Measures are taken for deepening of wells for improving supply of drinking water in these parts. Cattle are generally healthy except for prevalence of Blackquarter in the two villages of Tumkur Taluk and one village in Tiptur Taluk. Village Panchayet relief works are in progress in Madhugiri, Gubbi, Chiknaikanhalli and Turvekere Taluks.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

Seeds Sown.—Black and Greengram in Seringapatam and Maddur Taluks. Cholam in T.-Narsipur Taluk, and sugarcane in Maddur Taluk is being planted.

State of Standing Crops.—Standing crops, such as sugarcane in Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur, Mandya and Krishnarajpete Taluks and mulberry in T.-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

9. *Crops Harvested.*—Paddy in parts of Chamarajnagar and Malvalli Taluks; sugarcane in Malvalli, Mandya and French-Rocks Taluks.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.
Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in the Belur, Channarayapatna Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk; paddy in the Holenarsipur and Channarayapatna Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in the Hassan, Manjarabad Taluks; ragi in the Hassan Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are favourable.
No signs of famine.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy in all the taluks of the district except in some parts of Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks where it is reported that "Blackquarter" is prevailing and that the concerned Veterinary Inspectors have been addressed to attend to the same
Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations and Seeds Sown.*—Sugarcane is being planted in the taluks of Chennagiri, Honnalli, Shikarpur, Sorab and Hosanagar. Ploughing operations in Shimoga Taluk and ploughing and manuring operations in Sagar Taluk are in progress.

State of the Standing Crops.—Standing crops such as sugarcane, cotton, blackgram and greengram in several parts of the district are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane in the taluks of Chennagiri, Honnali, Sorab and Tirthahalli; paddy in Shikarpur Taluk and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; ragi in Shikarpur Taluk; cotton in Chennagiri Taluk; blackgram and greengram in Sorab Taluk are being harvested. Sugarcane milling is being attended to in Shimoga and Shikarpur Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.
Food grains are available.
Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district except for the prevalence of 'Anthrax' in Udri Village, Sorab Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector is reported to have been addressed to in the matter.
Fodder and water are available for the cattle.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Sugarcane in Narasimharajpura Sub-Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane and bengalgram are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane in Chikmagalur Taluk; paddy, ragi, jola and coriander in Tarikere Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good.
Food grains are available and their prices remain steady.
Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are healthy in general throughout the district.

It is reported that Rinderpest is prevailing in Hadikere and Lingadahalli Villages, Tarikere Taluk, and the Veterinary Department is taking necessary action to prevent the spread of the disease.

It is also reported that Hæmorrhagic Septicæmia is prevailing in the hamlet of Madodi, Harur Villages, Koppa Taluk, and reference has been made to the Veterinary Inspector to take action to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder for cattle are available throughout the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

State of Standing Crops.—Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Cotton and castor in Challakere Taluk and cotton in the taluks of Hiriyur, Holalkere, Jagalur and Harihar Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district.
Water and fodder are available throughout the district.

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Revenue Commissioner.